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March 16, 2010

The Honorable Board of Supervisors County of Los Angeles 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration 500 West Temple Street Los Angeles, California 90012

Dear Supervisors:

ADOPTED

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

#46 MARCH 16, 2010

SACHI A HAMAI EXECUTIVE OFFICER

FINDINGS AND ORDERS OF THE
BUILDING REHABILITATION APPEALS BOARD
IN THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF ACTON, ALTADENA, CHATSWORTH, DUARTE, LAKE
LOS ANGELES, LANCASTER, LITTLEROCK, PALMDALE, PEARBLOSSOM, QUARTZ HILL,
REDMAN, SAUGUS, AND SUN VILLAGE
(SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT 5)
(3 VOTES)

SUBJECT

This action will adopt the findings and orders of the Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board pursuant to Title 26 of the Los Angeles County Code, Building Code, which provides for the arrest and abatement of neighborhood deterioration and the elimination of unsightly, unsafe, and unhealthful conditions, which constitute a public nuisance.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:

Adopt the findings and orders of the Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board that provide for abatement of public nuisances at the following locations:

23125 Schumann Road, Chatsworth, California 91311 4644 West Avenue M-4, Quartz Hill, California 93536 1838 Braeburn Road, Altadena, California 91001 10106 East Avenue S-10, Sun Village, California 93543 821 Foreston Drive, Acton, California 93510 12130 East Avenue S-9, Littlerock, California 93543 126 West Avenue F-12, Lancaster, California 93534

47421 60th Street East, Lancaster, California 93535

40335 165th Street East, Lake Los Angeles, California 93591

48219 100th Street East, Redman, California 93535

36280 Anthony Road, Saugus, California 91350

30003 Maypath Road, Littlerock, California 93543

40154 167th Street East, Palmdale, California 93591

16137 Coolwater Avenue, Palmdale, California 93591

13863 East Avenue Q, Lancaster, California 93591

33624 Longview Road, Pearblossom, California 93553

30034 Marvin Avenue, Saugus, California 91384

2080 Goodall Avenue, Duarte, California 91010

PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

The purpose of the recommended action is to provide for abatement of public nuisances through rehabilitation procedures. Title 26 of the Los Angeles County Code, Building Code, provides for a Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board to hear appeals on matters concerning public nuisances.

<u>Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals</u>

The Countywide Strategic Plan directs the provision of Operational Effectiveness (Goal 1) and Community and Municipal Services (Goal 3) as it provides services to the public that have a wide-reaching positive effect on the entire community. The action will provide for the arrest and abatement of neighborhood deterioration and the elimination of unsightly, unsafe, and unhealthful conditions, which constitute a public nuisance.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING

There will be no increase in net County cost or negative fiscal impact. Costs of the abatement work are billed to the property owners. Failure to pay the bill will cause a special assessment to be placed on the tax bill and a Notice of Abatement Lien will be recorded against the property with the office of the County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk.

FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

The Building Code provides for abatement of public nuisances through rehabilitation procedures contained in Chapter 99.

Government Code Section 25845 requires that the property owners be provided an opportunity to appear before the Board and be heard prior to abatement of the nuisance(s) by the County. However, your Board adopted modified procedures that delegated the required hearing to the Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board with the requirement that the Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board make a written recommendation to your Board.

The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board has conducted the required hearing for the properties listed below. The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board considered all competent evidence and testimony offered by all persons pertaining to the matters of substandard properties. The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding of facts in the matter and declared the following properties to be a public nuisance.

Your Board may either adopt these findings and orders of the Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board without further notice of hearing or may set the matter for a de novo hearing before your Board.

ADDRESS: 23125 Schumann Road, Chatsworth, California 91311

Finding and Orders: The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding that the property is substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following orders: (a) that by March 19, 2010, the structure(s) be repaired per noted defects or rebuilt to Code and (b) that the property be maintained secured to prevent unauthorized entry.

- 1. Maintenance of premises so out of harmony and/or conformity with the maintenance standards of adjacent properties as to cause substantial diminution of the enjoyment, use, or property values of such adjacent properties.
- 2. The building was open, accessible to children, vandalized, and existed as a fire hazard and a threat to public safety and welfare, until it was barricaded, as requested by the Sheriff's Department.
- 3. Portions of the interior walls are defective, deteriorated, inadequate, and lack a protective coating of paint.
- 4. Doors and windows are broken.
- 5. The building contains deteriorated ceiling roof systems.
- 6. The required heating system is inoperable, defective, and potentially hazardous.
- 7. Electrical system is potentially hazardous.
- 8. The potable water system of the dwelling is noncomplying and insanitary.
- 9. The water heater, lavatory, bath facility, kitchen sink, and laundry tray or standpipe of the dwelling are inoperable, missing, or insanitary.
- 10. The building contains deteriorated, inadequate drain, waste, and vent systems.
- 11. Overgrown vegetation and weeds constituting an unsightly appearance.
- 12. An attractive nuisance in the form of abandoned or broken equipment.
- 13. Broken or discarded furniture and household equipment in yard areas for unreasonable period.
- 14. Miscellaneous articles of personal property scattered about the premises.
- 15. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.
- 16. Garbage cans and packing crates stored in front or side yards and visible from the public street.

- 17. Mobile equipment stored for unreasonable periods of time in yard areas contiguous to streets or highways.
- 18. Abandoned, wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s) or parts thereof stored for unreasonable periods on the premises.

The interior of the building was not readily accessible for inspection; therefore, additional defects may be found when an interior inspection is made.

ADDRESS: 4644 West Avenue M-4, Quartz Hill, California 93536

Finding and Orders: The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding that the property is substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following orders: (a) that by March 19, 2010, the property be cleared of all trash, junk, debris, discarded household furniture and appliances, miscellaneous personal property, and all excessive vegetation, if substantial progress, extend to April 19, 2010, and maintained cleared thereafter and (b) that by March 19, 2010, the abandoned, wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s) and trailer(s) be removed, if substantial progress, extend to April 19, 2010, and the property be maintained cleared thereafter.

List of Defects

- 1. Maintenance of premises so out of harmony and/or conformity with the maintenance standards of adjacent properties as to cause substantial diminution of the enjoyment, use, or property values of such adjacent properties.
- 2. Overgrown vegetation, dead trees, and weeds constituting an unsightly appearance.
- 3. Attractive nuisances in the form of abandoned or broken equipment and neglected machinery.
- 4. Broken or discarded furniture and household equipment in yard areas for unreasonable periods.
- 5. Miscellaneous articles of personal property scattered about the premises.
- 6. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.
- 7. Mobile equipment stored for unreasonable periods of time in yard areas contiguous to streets or highways.
- 8. Inoperable vehicles or parts thereof stored for unreasonable periods on the premises.

ADDRESS: 1838 Braeburn Road, Altadena, California 91001

Finding and Orders: The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding that the property is substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following orders: (a) that by March 22, 2010, the abandoned, wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s) be removed and the property be maintained cleared thereafter, (b) that by March 22, 2010, the structure be repaired per noted defects including an application for permits to rebuild the structure to Code or the structure be demolished, (c) that the property be maintained secured to prevent unauthorized entry, and (d) that the property be maintained clean. Demolition includes the removal of all foundations, slabs, walks,

driveways, debris, and the proper abandonment of any sewer or sewage disposal system.

List of Defects

- 1. Maintenance of premises so out of harmony and/or conformity with the maintenance standards of adjacent properties as to cause substantial diminution of the enjoyment, use, or property values of such adjacent properties.
- 2. The building was fire damaged, open and accessible to children, vandalized, and existed as a fire hazard and a threat to public safety and welfare, until it was barricaded, as requested by the Sheriff's Department.
- 3. Doors and windows are broken.
- 4. The floor supports are fire damaged.
- 5. Portions of the walls are fire damaged.
- 6. The ceiling and roof supports are fire damaged.
- 7. The electrical system is fire damaged.
- 8. Broken or discarded furniture and household equipment in yard areas for unreasonable periods.
- 9. Miscellaneous articles of personal property scattered about the premises.
- 10. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.
- 11. Abandoned, wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s) or parts thereof stored for unreasonable periods on the premises.

Portions of the interior of the building were not accessible for inspection; therefore, additional defects may be found when an interior inspection is made.

ADDRESS: 10106 East Avenue S-10, Sun Village, California 93543

Finding and Order: The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding that the property is substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following order: that by March 19, 2010, the property be cleared of all trash, junk, debris, discarded household furniture and appliances, and miscellaneous personal property and maintained cleared thereafter.

- 1. Maintenance of premises so out of harmony and/or conformity with the maintenance standards of adjacent properties as to cause substantial diminution of the enjoyment, use, or property values of such adjacent properties.
- 2. Overgrown vegetation and weeds constituting an unsightly appearance.
- 3. Broken or discarded furniture and household equipment in yard areas for unreasonable periods.

- 4. Miscellaneous articles of personal property scattered about the premises.
- 5. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.

ADDRESS: 821 Foreston Drive, Acton, California 93510

Finding and Order: The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding that the property is substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following order: that by March 19, 2010, the property be cleared of all trash, junk, debris, discarded household furniture and appliances, and miscellaneous personal property and maintained cleared thereafter.

List of Defects

- 1. Maintenance of premises so out of harmony and/or conformity with the maintenance standards of adjacent properties as to cause substantial diminution of the enjoyment, use, or property values of such adjacent properties.
- 2. An attractive nuisance in the form of abandoned or broken equipment.
- 3. Broken or discarded furniture and household equipment in yard areas for unreasonable periods.
- 4. Miscellaneous articles of personal property scattered about the premises.
- 5. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.

ADDRESS: 12130 East Avenue S-9, Littlerock, California 93543

Finding and Orders: The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding that the property is substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following orders: (a) that by March 19, 2010, the property be cleared of all trash, junk, debris, discarded household furniture and appliances, and miscellaneous personal property, if substantial progress, extend to April 19, 2010, and maintained cleared thereafter and (b) that by March 19, 2010, the abandoned, wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s), boat(s), and camper(s) be removed, if substantial progress, extend to April 19, 2010, and the property be maintained cleared thereafter.

- 1. Maintenance of premises so out of harmony and/or conformity with the maintenance standards of adjacent properties as to cause substantial diminution of the enjoyment, use, or property values of such adjacent properties.
- 2. Attractive nuisances in the form of abandoned or broken equipment, and neglected machinery.
- 3. Broken or discarded furniture and household equipment in yard areas for unreasonable periods.
- 4. Miscellaneous articles of personal property scattered about the premises.
- 5. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.

- 6. Trailers, campers, boat, and other mobile equipment stored for unreasonable periods of time in yard areas contiguous to streets or highways.
- 7. Wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s) or parts thereof stored for unreasonable periods on the premises.

ADDRESS: 126 West Avenue F-12, Lancaster, California 93534

Finding and Order: The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding that the property is substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following order: that by March 19, 2010, the property be cleared of all trash, junk, debris, discarded household furniture and appliances, miscellaneous personal property, and all excessive vegetation and maintained cleared thereafter.

List of Defects

- 1. Maintenance of premises so out of harmony and/or conformity with the maintenance standards of adjacent properties as to cause substantial diminution of the enjoyment, use, or property values of such adjacent properties.
- 2. Miscellaneous articles of personal property scattered about the premises.
- 3. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.

ADDRESS: 47421 60th Street East, Lancaster, California 93535

Finding and Orders: The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding that the property is substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following orders: (a) that by March 19, 2010, the property be cleared of all trash, junk, debris, discarded household furniture and appliances, miscellaneous personal property, and all excessive vegetation and maintained cleared thereafter, (b) that by March 19, 2010, the structure(s) be repaired per noted defects, rebuilt to Code, or demolished, and (c) that the property be maintained fenced to prevent unauthorized entry. Demolition includes the removal of all foundations, slabs, walks, driveways, debris, and the proper abandonment of any sewer or sewage disposal system.

- 1. Maintenance of premises so out of harmony and/or conformity with the maintenance standards of adjacent properties as to cause substantial diminution of the enjoyment, use, or property values of such adjacent properties.
- 2. The building was fire damaged, open and accessible to children, vandalized, and a threat to public safety and welfare, until it was barricaded, as requested by the Fire Department.
- 3. The floor supports or foundation systems are fire damaged.
- 4. Portions of the interior and exterior walls are fire damaged.
- 5. The ceiling and roof supports or systems are fire damaged.

- 6. The electrical service or system is fire damaged.
- 7. The potable water system of the dwelling is fire damaged.
- 8. The drain, waste, and vent systems are fire damaged.
- 9. Broken or discarded furniture and household equipment in yard areas for unreasonable periods.
- 10. Miscellaneous articles of personal property scattered about the premises.
- 11. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.

ADDRESS: 40335 165th Street East, Lake Los Angeles, California 93591

Finding and Order: The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding that the property is substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following order: that by March 19, 2010, the structure(s) be repaired per noted defects.

List of Defects

- 1. Maintenance of premises so out of harmony and/or conformity with the maintenance standards of adjacent properties as to cause substantial diminution of the enjoyment, use, or property values of such adjacent properties.
- 2. The building was open, accessible to children, vandalized, and existed as a fire hazard and a threat to public safety and welfare, until it was barricaded, as requested by the Fire Department.
- 3. Portion of the interior walls are defective.
- 4. Doors and windows are broken.
- 5. Electrical system is potentially hazardous.
- 6. Overgrown vegetation and weeds constituting an unsightly appearance.
- 7. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.

ADDRESS: 48219 100th Street East, Redman, California 93535

Finding and Orders: The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding that the property is substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following orders: (a) that by March 19, 2010, the property be cleared of all trash, junk, debris, discarded household furniture and appliances, and miscellaneous personal property and maintained cleared thereafter and (b) that by March 19, 2010, the abandoned, wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s) be removed and the property be maintained cleared thereafter.

List of Defects

1. Maintenance of premises so out of harmony and/or conformity with the maintenance standards

of adjacent properties as to cause substantial diminution of the enjoyment, use, or property values of such adjacent properties.

- 2. Overgrown vegetation, dead trees, and weeds constituting an unsightly appearance.
- 3. Miscellaneous articles of personal property scattered about the premises.
- 4. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.
- 5. Trailers, campers, and other mobile equipment stored for unreasonable periods of time in yard areas contiguous to streets or highways.
- 6. Abandoned, wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s) or parts thereof stored for unreasonable periods on the premises.

ADDRESS: 36280 Anthony Road, Saugus, California 91350

Finding and Orders: The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding that the property is substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following orders: (a) that by March 19, 2010, the property be cleared of all trash, junk, debris, discarded household furniture and appliances, miscellaneous personal property, and all excessive vegetation, if substantial progress, extend to April 19, 2010, and maintained cleared thereafter, (b) that by March 19, 2010, the abandoned, wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s) be removed, if substantial progress, extend to April 19, 2010, and the property be maintained cleared thereafter, (c) that by March 19, 2010, the structure(s) be repaired per noted defects, rebuilt to Code, or demolished, if substantial progress, extend to April 19, 2010, and (d) that the property be maintained secured to prevent unauthorized entry. Demolition includes the removal of all foundations, slabs, walks, driveways, debris, and the proper abandonment of any sewer or sewage disposal system.

- 1. Maintenance of premises so out of harmony and/or conformity with the maintenance standards of adjacent properties as to cause substantial diminution of the enjoyment, use, or property values of such adjacent properties.
- 2. The building was open, accessible to children, vandalized, and existed as a fire hazard and a threat to public safety and welfare, until it was barricaded, as requested by Fire Department.
- 3. The building contains defective, deteriorated, and inadequate floor supports or foundation systems.
- 4. The mudsill is defective and deteriorated.
- 5. Portions of the walls are defective, deteriorated, inadequate, and lack a protective coating of paint.
- 6. Doors and windows are broken.
- 7. The building contains deteriorated inadequate ceiling and roof supports or systems.

- 8. The required heating system is inoperable.
- 9. Electrical system is damaged or potentially hazardous.
- 10. The potable water system of the dwelling is noncomplying or insanitary.
- 11. The water heater, lavatory, bath facility, kitchen sink, and laundry tray or standpipe of the dwelling are inoperable, missing, or insanitary.
- 12. The building contains deteriorated, inadequate drain, waste, and vent systems.
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ADDRESS: 30003 Maypath Road, Littlerock, California 93543

Finding and Orders: The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding that the property is substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following orders: (a) that by March 19, 2010, the property be cleared of all trash, junk, debris, discarded household furniture and appliances, miscellaneous personal property, and all excessive vegetation and maintained cleared thereafter and (b) that by March 19, 2010, the abandoned, wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s) be removed and the property be maintained cleared thereafter.

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- 1. Maintenance of premises so out of harmony and/or conformity with the maintenance standards of adjacent properties as to cause substantial diminution of the enjoyment, use, or property values of such adjacent properties.
- 2. Attractive nuisances in the form of abandoned or broken equipment, and neglected machinery.
- 3. Broken or discarded furniture and household equipment in yard areas for unreasonable periods.
- 4. Miscellaneous articles of personal property scattered about the premises.
- 5. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.
- 6. Campers and other mobile equipment stored for unreasonable periods of time in yard areas contiguous to streets or highways.
- 7. Wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s) or parts thereof stored for unreasonable periods on the premises.

ADDRESS: 40154 167th Street East, Palmdale, California 93591

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substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following orders: (a) that by March 19, 2010, the property be cleared of all trash, junk, debris, discarded household furniture and appliances, miscellaneous personal property, and all excessive vegetation and maintained cleared thereafter and (b) that by March 19, 2010, the abandoned, wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s) be removed and the property be maintained cleared thereafter.

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- 2. Overgrown vegetation and weeds constituting an unsightly appearance.
- 3. Miscellaneous articles of personal property scattered about the premises.
- 4. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.

ADDRESS: 16137 Coolwater Avenue, Palmdale, California 93591

Finding and Orders: The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding that the property is substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following orders: (a) that by March 19, 2010, the structure(s) be repaired per noted defects, (b) that the property be maintained secured to prevent unauthorized entry, and (c) that the property be maintained clean.

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- 4. Miscellaneous articles of personal property scattered about the premises.
- 5. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.

ADDRESS: 13863 East Avenue Q, Lancaster, California 93591

Finding and Orders: The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding that the property is substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following orders: (a) that by March 19, 2010, the property be cleared of all trash, junk, debris, discarded household furniture and appliances, miscellaneous personal property, and all excessive vegetation and maintained cleared thereafter and (b) that by March 19, 2010, the abandoned, wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s) be removed and the property be maintained cleared thereafter.

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- 4. Broken or discarded furniture and household equipment in yard areas for unreasonable periods.
- 5. Miscellaneous articles of personal property scattered about the premises.
- 6. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.
- 7. Trailers and other mobile equipment stored for unreasonable periods of time in yard areas contiguous to streets or highways.

ADDRESS: 33624 Longview Road, Pearblossom, California 93553

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- 1. Maintenance of premises so out of harmony and/or conformity with the maintenance standards of adjacent properties as to cause substantial diminution of the enjoyment, use, or property values of such adjacent properties.
- 2. Doors and windows are broken or missing.
- 3. The electrical service is damaged and potentially hazardous.
- 4. Overgrown vegetation and weeds constituting an unsightly appearance.
- 5. Broken or discarded furniture and household equipment in yard areas for unreasonable periods.
- 6. Miscellaneous articles of personal property scattered about the premises.
- 7. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.

The interior of the building was not accessible for inspection; therefore, additional defects may be found when an interior inspection is made.

ADDRESS: 30034 Marvin Avenue, Saugus, California 91384

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- 3. Broken or discarded furniture and household equipment in yard areas for unreasonable periods.
- 4. Trash, junk, and debris scattered about the premises.
- 5. Garbage cans and packing crates stored in front or side yards and visible from the public street.
- 6. Campers and other mobile equipment stored for unreasonable periods of time in yard areas contiguous to streets or highways.
- 7. Wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s) or parts thereof stored for unreasonable periods on the premises.

ADDRESS: 2080 Goodall Avenue, Duarte, California 91010

Finding and Orders: The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board made a finding that the property is substandard, declared the property a public nuisance, and issued the following orders: (a) that by March 19, 2010, the property be cleared of all trash, junk, debris, discarded household furniture and appliances, and miscellaneous personal property and maintained cleared thereafter and (b) that by March 19, 2010, the abandoned, wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s) be removed and the property be maintained cleared thereafter.

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- 5. Wrecked, dismantled, or inoperable vehicle(s) or parts thereof stored for unreasonable periods on the premises.

IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)

Not applicable.

CONCLUSION

The Building Rehabilitation Appeals Board confirmed the County Building Official's findings that the listed properties are substandard because they are injurious to health, offensive to the senses, and obstruct the free use of neighboring properties so as to interfere with the comfortable enjoyment of life and property.

Please return one adopted copy of this letter to the Department of Public Works, Building and Safety Division.

Respectfully submitted,

GAIL FARBER

Director

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c: Chief Executive Office (Lari Sheehan)

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County Counsel Executive Office